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FROM : Amembassy BUENOS AIRES

DATE: July 20, 1976

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SUBJECT : Firing and Imprisonment of CNEA Employee- Antonio Misetich

AIR ARMY NAVY OSD

REF : Buenos Aires 3013

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Attached to this Airgram is a free translation of the text of an order issued by Argentine National Atomic Energy Commission President Carlos Castro Madero in the Misetich case.

We have learned that Misetich did have some close connections with terrorist groups. His sister was reportedly married to a terrorist. In addition, when the Campora government in May 1973 dismissed long-time CNEA President Oscar Quihillalt, the terrorist groups proposed Misetich to replace him, and he nearly made it. The moderates rather hurriedly rallied support for Iraolagoitia, as a Peronist who was not an extremist, and, so we were told, managed to sell this to Campora, although it was a close call.

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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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In view of Law No. 21,274 and

CONSIDERING:

that this law authorizes under Article 2 the President of the National Atomic Energy Commission to drop personnel which are found to be involved in the causes stipulated therein;

that under Article 6 of this law, there is established, in addition, definite situations which can originate the dismissal of such personnel without resolving the right to receive indemnification for such action;

that review in this Institution (discloses) an employee who should be dismissed for being included in what is stipulated by Article 6, clause 6), of this law

Therefore

THE PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION RESOLVES:

1. To dismiss as of April 19, 1976, Doctor Antonio Anselmo MISETICH of the Department of Research, using the faculties authorized under Article 2 of Law 21,274 and because of being understood (guilty) of causes foreseen in Article 6, clause 6, of that law.
2. In accordance with the causes which motivate the dismissal, the employee will have no right to receive indemnity based on the action taken in 1.
3. It is established that the dismissal mentioned above, is made in accordance with the terms of Law 21,289.
4. Done

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